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HEAT PROSTRATIONS.

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FIFTY DEAD AT NEW YORK CITY.

Hot Weather General Throughout the East, North and South—Deaths Attributed as Disastrous as a National Calamity of Plague—Heat at Several Points Breaks the Intense Heat.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—The report of fatalities resulting from the heat in various sections of the country indicates that the present hot spell will be as disastrous in its effect as a national calamity of plague. The deathroll of yesterday exceeds 125 in the principal cities. In Greater New York the number of deaths from heat reached 50. In Baltimore the deaths were 19 and in Philadelphia 18. Eastern cities appear to have suffered most severely although the death list in the west continues to be high.

Three deaths from heat occurred here, making the death list six since the present hot spell began. Aside from the fatalities there were many prostrations.

HEAT AT CHICAGO.

Another Hot Day Makes It Extremely Hazardous For People To Be Out.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—It began to grow uncomfortably warm here today at early dawn and as the blazing sun pushed its way up over Lake Michigan the intensity of heat increased hour by hour, and to make life still more unbearable a steady hot wind blew over the city from the marshes and swamps beyond the southern limit. The city ambulances and patrol wagons from the police stations were kept on the run all night long bearing victims of heat to hospitals. This morning men walked through the streets without coat or vest, panting for want of fresh, cooling air. Prostrations from heat began early. Animals, overcome by heat, lay dead in almost every ward in town. They were so numerous the garbage men could not keep the streets clear of them.

The first death from heat today was Fred Rutter, a laborer. The corner's office was busier than for years. Not enough deputies to do the work. Herman Ash and Thomas Womabo was reported at the corner's office as having died during the night.

HEAT KEPT MCKINLEY AT HOME. Did Not Attend Church on Account of the Hot Weather.

CANTON, O., Aug. 10.—With the thermometer toward the 100 mark so regular an attendant as Major McKinley was deterred from church yesterday. It was after 5 o'clock when he and Mrs. McKinley ventured out for a drive. Major McKinley's mail has assumed massive proportions. Hundreds of Democrats continue to write him with assurances of support. From Maine to California yesterday came letters urging the tariff to the front as well as the issue of the money. There came also invitations from many points to address meetings, none of which can be accepted.

Seven More Deaths at New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Although the sky is overcast with clouds today, there was little apparent relief at noon from the intense heat, which has prevailed without intermission for a week. At 9 o'clock seven prostrations and seven deaths were ascribed to the effect of the heat. The deaths were as follows: Peter Oberon, Nora Oberon, Mary Donnell, Charles Paul, Mamie Carroll, Selig Kingsbury and John Lawler.

At Chicago. CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Numbers of prostrations here Sunday reached 42. Fifteen were fatal and several are yet in a serious condition.

At Milwaukee. MILWAUKEE, Aug. 10.—Fatal number of cases of sunstroke here and in the vicinity Sunday reached eight.

At Louisville. LOUISVILLE, Aug. 10.—One death here Sunday from sunstroke.

Drownings at Detroit. DETROIT, Aug. 10.—A heavy wind and thunderstorm which swept over the city yesterday evening resulted in the drowning of at least three men in the Detroit river, and several yachtsmen had extremely narrow escapes after capsizing of their craft. Two others were drowned during the afternoon from other causes. The hot weather has broken.

At Cleveland. CLEVELAND, Aug. 10.—One death and two other persons in serious conditions as a result of Sunday's heat.

At Cincinnati. CINCINNATI, Aug. 10.—Three fatalities here yesterday from heat. There were many prostrations.

At Newark. NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 10.—Three deaths here from sunstroke.

At New York. NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Fifty persons died in the Greater New York district Sunday as a result of the extreme heat. Over 100 cases of prostration have been reported in the territory embraced

ing New York City, Brooklyn and Staten Island. A number of these cases, the physicians believe, will be fatal.

Prostrations in Missouri. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 10.—Many prostrations and several deaths from sunstroke are reported from surrounding cities.

At Leavenworth Henry A. O'Brien, a retired army sergeant, who had been drinking heavily, died from the effects of sunstroke.

At Hardin, Mo., Albert Ruter, an aged man, who had been drinking, was stricken down and died soon afterward.

At Stillwater, O. T., Jack Rudester, a laborer, died from sunstroke.

Deaths at Several Towns. CINCINNATI, Aug. 10.—Specials received here report two fatal sunstrokes at Fort Wayne, Ind.; two at Gallion, O.; one at Massillon, O.; three serious prostrations at Lima, O., and one at Versailles, Ky.

Heat Broken at Omaha. OMAHA, Aug. 10.—A terrible storm raged in Omaha and eastern Nebraska last night. This was the climax of a week of terrible heat. Though a number of prostrations have occurred, no fatalities have resulted.

One Death at Memphis. MEMPHIS, Aug. 10.—The warm wave continues here. There was one fatal prostration from the intense heat yesterday. John T. Bishop, manager of a leading establishment, succumbed at noon and died two hours later.

At St. Louis. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 10.—There were 20 victims of heat here Sunday and 2 deaths.

At Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10.—There were 18 deaths and 39 prostrations from heat in this city Sunday.

At Baltimore. BALTIMORE, Aug. 10.—Within the past 24 hours there have been reported 10 fatalities and over 50 prostrations.

Heat at Little Rock. LITTLE ROCK, Aug. 10.—The long continued drought in this immediate vicinity was broken by a light rain yesterday afternoon. The temperature, which for the past 10 days has ranged above the 100 mark, fell to 74 and the indications are that there will be more rain.

During the hot spell here 12 or 15 persons have died from heat.

TROLLEYCAR DERAILED. Three Persons Are Killed and Fifteen Injured, Some Fatally.

COLUMBIA, Pa., Aug. 10.—Three persons were instantly killed and 15 injured, some probably fatally, by the derailment of a trolley on the Columbia and Deming electric road last night just outside the borough limits of Columbia.

The dead are: Adam Foshlinger, the motorman, Henry Smith and an unknown person. At least two of the injured may die. The place where the accident occurred is at the base of a steep incline. The car was loaded with passengers and as it reached the edge of the incline there was no indication of impending danger. Once on the incline, however, the car began to slip, owing to wet tracks. The motorman applied the brakes and at that moment the gearwheel broke, rendering the break useless. The car dashed along at a terrific rate while within the terrorstricken passengers sat and stood petrified with fear. The car upon reaching the bottom took a sharp turn and was thrown up against the embankment. Word was quickly sent to Columbia and a relief car was sent to the scene. At present the names of the injured are unknown.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH.

Mrs. Minnie Pfeiffer Caught in a Burning Building at Dallas.

DALLAS, Aug. 10.—Mrs. Minnie Pfeiffer, wife of Arnold Pfeiffer, was burned almost to a crisp during the course of the fire which totally destroyed the place known as Meisterhan's beer garden, situated at 514 Bryan street, early Sunday morning. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is believed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Shot and Killed.

MULDON, Tex., Aug. 10.—Charles Noll was murdered six miles north of Muldon Saturday. He was shot three times. Murderer unknown. Mr. Noll was constable for this beat and was coming to court. He leaves a wife and several children.

Still Exciting Riot.

VALENCIA, Spain, Aug. 10.—Attempts to cause riotous demonstrations against the government continue. The city yesterday was placarded with posters reading: "Long live free Cuba," "Long live the social revolution," etc. The placards were removed by the police.

Shot and Killed.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Tex., Aug. 10.—Oscar Neal, colored, was shot and killed here. The trouble was caused by a clubbing. The killer is still at large.

THE KILLERS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Cattle—Good steady others weak to the heavy. Texas steers, 13 to 15. Sheep steady.

St. Louis, Aug. 10.—Cattle—Good steady. Texas steers, 12 to 14. Sheep steady.

THE CONVENTION OVER

Populists Complete the Business After Four Days.

THE FULL STATE NOMINATIONS.

There Was No Indorsement of Bryan, but a Campaign Committee Was Appointed to Act For the People's Party in That Matter—The Sentiment Seems "No Watson, No Bryan."

GALVESTON, Aug. 10.—After four days of excitement the Populist state convention was brought to a close late Saturday afternoon.

From the very start the leaders took the position that if the Democrats did not pull down Sewall and place Watson on the ticket for vice president they would not support Bryan. It was the scheme of the leaders that this matter should not be brought before the convention, but power to act in the matter was given to the campaign committee appointed by the convention. They were given plenary power and it is certain that they will take some decided



J. C. KERRY. action if Bryan does not accept the nomination or if Sewall is not withdrawn. What the committee will do is only known to the leaders of the party.

Saturday's session was given to finishing the state ticket, adopting the platform, which was recommended to the committee, and the selection of the new executive committee.

The full ticket as nominated is as follows: Governor—Jerome Kearby of Dallas. Lieutenant governor—H. S. P. Ashby of Tarrant.

Attorney general—W. M. Walton of Travis. Comptroller—E. O. Motson of Lavaca.

Treasurer—S. O. Daws of Limestone. Land commissioner—Granberry of Hood.

Superintendent public instruction—A. B. Francisco of Galveston. Railroad commissioners—Bryan Jones of Erath, W. W. Nelson of Williamson, E. P. Alsbury of Harris.

Associate justice of the supreme court—T. J. McMillin of Bexar. Justice of the court of criminal appeals—R. V. Bell of Cooke.

Electors-at-large—E. O. Call of Navarro and H. D. Wood of Hunt.

Chairman of the state executive committee—Joe S. Bradley of Abilene. Members of the state executive committee, state-at-large—J. B. Rayner of Robertson and L. D. Stansberry of Gregg.

The new executive committee is as follows: First district—E. P. Ashby of Houston. Second district—H. C. Howell of Jasper.

Third district—S. G. Earle of Greenville. Fourth district—S. G. Harper of Sulphur Springs.

Fifth district—D. E. Lyday of Brenham. Sixth district—E. O. Call of Corsicana.

Seventh district—A. C. Isaacs of Rockdale. Eighth district—Thomas B. King of Stephenville.

Ninth district—George L. Walton of Travis. Tenth district—J. B. Gray of Brazoria.

Eleventh district—J. W. Ratledge of Kearnes City. Twelfth district—A. B. Sarben of Center Point.

Thirteenth district—J. S. Bradley of Abilene.

Captured a Dutch Steamer. CAIRO, Aug. 10.—An Italian man-of-war has captured off the coast of Erythraea, the Dutch steamer Doelwyk laden with 54,000 rifles, which are supposed to be of Belgian manufacture and which were destined for Abyssinia. The steamer and her cargo will be taken by the Italian warship to the prize court at Massawa.

Despite Liberal Opposition. LONDON, Aug. 10.—The Madrid correspondent of The Standard believes that the government will obtain the necessary Cuban credits from the cortes despite Liberal opposition.

Earl of Aberdeen Is Dead. LONDON, Aug. 10.—The Earl of Aberdeen is dead.

Special Inducements!

In Chickens and Eggs To-day. New Mackerel---Fine as silk!

AT JOHN B. MIKE'S.

Rev. Mason's Sermon.

Rev. Mason of Mississippi, preached at the Baptist church Sunday. The sermon at night was wholly out of the ordinary and very interesting and instructive. The speaker dwelt upon the disturbed conditions of the profane world and the diverging tendencies of belief in the christian world. Three years' residence in the city of Chicago and extended travel had familiarized the speaker with the labor troubles and political disturbances of the country and he said these things but presaged the coming of a storm, and averred that even as European countries are now protected only by their vast standing armies, so also in our great cities quiet is only maintained by the vigilance of the police. Never before, he said, was there so much money in the world, and never before so many men without money and unable to obtain it, because it is hoarded in the hands of a few, some of whom are christian men, notably Rockefeller of Chicago, a Baptist who is wealthy enough to evangelize the world and have plenty for himself, yet he will not do it, but has chosen to lavish his money on the University of Chicago, whose president, Dr. Harper, with his higher criticism of the bible, the speaker declared to be quoted more than any one else by infidels. Many of the reform elements whose alleged purpose is the relief mankind, the speaker declared to be without God in them and composed of unbelievers. He had attended one meeting in Chicago where there were preachers, anarchists, infidels, criminals, and good and bad men women all in attendance, and one man had proposed to settle all the troubles by taking a knife in one hand and a torch in the other and killing all the preachers and burning all the churches. The speaker declared the congress of religions held in Chicago, when idolater and christian sat together, to have been the greatest insult offered the deity since its crucifixion. He condemned the fact of having a large lecture for a christian pulpit and spoke of a Baptist priest who was invited and preached in a church in Buffalo, N. Y. His plea was for a closer unity of christians about Christ, so that come what may they shall be prepared to enter into the joys of the world to come.

The New Drop Curtain.

The new drop curtain at the Grand Opera House has been completed by Mr. R. E. Lee, the artist, of Houston and too much cannot be said in praise of the work which is of purely original design and exquisite finish. It might be perhaps best described as a midsummer scene where winged cupids are reveling in the beauties of nature safely secluded from the interference of vandal man. A rippling stream, dancing in the sunlight softened by clouds, eddying in the shadow and purring over undulating falls, gracefully winds its way in dreamy haze from amid distant mountains with hazy tints at their base. The broken banks are richly clothed in varying tints of summer verdure, reproducing and blending half tones of green and brown border the scene, suggesting the approach of autumn, and half connecting the dainty figures of climbing cupids. One cupid with cymbals and another with a garland of flowers are flying from opposite directions toward the center, while still another with a lyre surmounts the pictures. Another cupid with outstretched wings lies lazily upon a boulder in contemplative admiration of the beauties of the landscape. The accessories of the picture are all beautiful and appropriate, the panels of the arch being decorated with flowers and figures, while in the center of the arch above the curtain is a portrait of Mr. John B. Mike, lessee and manager. It is also proper to add that Mr. Mike has arranged with Mr. Lee to decorate the interior of the house throughout, and will spare no pains or expense to make the house as attractive and inviting as possible for the coming season.

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